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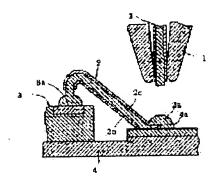
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## (54) BONDING WIRE

## (57) Abstract:

PURPOSE: To enable a wire to be cut off at a specific position simply by lifting a capillary after performing the reinforcement ball bonding step by a method wherein the wire is made of high purity Au containing a specific amount of Y and one or two kinds of respectively specific amounts of Ge and Be. CONSTITUTION: A wire 2 let out of a capillary 1 is ball-bonded on the first bonding position 3 and after stitch-bonding at the second bonding position 4a, the wire 2 successively let out of the capillary 1 is ball-bonded onto the stitch- bonded part to be cut off. At this time, the bonding wire 2 is made of high purity Au containing 100-1000wtppm and one or two kinds of 30-100wtppm of Ge and 5-15wtppm of Be.



Otherwise, the wire 2 is made of high purity Au containing 100-500wtppm of Y and 5-100wtppm of Ca and so forth.

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